

The Honorable Michael K. Powell  
Chairman  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12th Street, S.W.  
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Chairman Powell:

As a small ISP that specializes in serving Rural areas of Texas, Arkansas and soon Louisiana I depend upon reasonable access to communication services. We provide the personal touch and support that the major ILEC's do not. We don't look at statistics to decide to service an area but the people who ask us to come to their area.

These areas are always at the end of the budgetary foodchain for the

Sincerely,

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